

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, first paragraph:

~~The present invention relates to a subsea system according to the preamble of the subsequent claim 1.~~ The present invention relates to a subsea system for separating a multiphase fluid emanating from one or more subsea wells.

Page 2, second paragraph:

~~According to the invention, this object is achieved by a subsea system having the features of claim 1.~~ The subsea system according to the invention is divided into several separate "module levels". The header piping module constitutes a first lowest module level, the separator piping module constitutes a second intermediate module level and the insert modules constitute a third highest module level. The most robust and reliable parts of the subsea system are arranged in the lowest and intermediate module levels, whereas the most sensitive parts of the subsea system, i.e. the different processing appliances, are arranged in the highest module level. Consequently, it will be possible to remove a sensitive part included in an insert module from the system for replacement or repair without having to lift the more robust and reliable parts included in the header piping module and the separator piping module from the seabed. Likewise, it will be possible to remove the separator piping module from the system for replacement or repair

without having to lift the parts included in the header piping module from the seabed. The parts that are most frequently subjected to damages and wear are consequently provided in the highest module level and are thereby easily accessible for replacement or repair, which facilitates the maintenance of the subsea system. Furthermore, by the arrangement in different module levels the subsea system becomes very flexible and it will be possible to easily adapt the system as needed to the prevailing processing conditions.

Page 4, third paragraph:

Further advantages as well as advantageous features of the invention will appear from the following description ~~and the dependent claims.~~